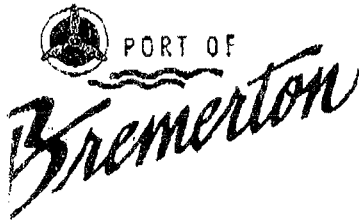


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Honorable Jay Roof  
Kitsap County Superior Court  
614 Division Street  
Port Orchard, WA 98366

Dear Judge Roof:

I have been observing the City of Bremerton's efforts to "clean up" the Sesko property on Arsenal Way and Pennsylvania Avenue in Bremerton.

As you know, the Port of Bremerton by Washington State statute is responsible for economic development within its boundaries. While we have no legal responsibility in the aforementioned property, it is our opinion that the Seskos should be encouraged to use and develop their property as the zoning permits.

In my observations, it appears that the Seskos have been singled out by the City of Bremerton. In your decision, I would encourage you to question why no other property owner in Bremerton has been subjected to the legal actions that have been taken against the Seskos. If the City were dedicated to remove items declared "junk" from properties in the City, many more properties would be involved.

Please consider that the Seskos have been targeted for enforcement other than zoning code violations.

Sincerely,

Bill Mahan  
Port of Bremerton Commissioner

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